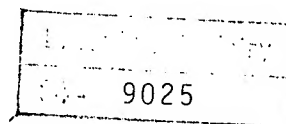


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14 September 1984


MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Intelligence
FROM: Director of Central Intelligence

Bob:

1. The threat outlook appears good enough to run to me. I would let the East European piece develop from the remarks of [redacted] Fritz Ermarth, perhaps as a second piece. I am not sure we need the short piece on Central America for this issue. The President was briefed on the outlook on Thursday and the changes are not that significant. It seems to me this is a better version than the first one and, if possible, I'd like to get it out over the weekend for delivery on Monday.

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2. I'm going to New York now, but will be in touch with you tomorrow morning.


William J. CaseyDistribution

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